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M. S. A. D. #44 SUPERINTENDENT'S NEWSLETTER

Dr. Wayne F. Gersen

On Monday, Feb. 28, 1983, the S.A.D. 44 Board of Directors will carefully review the 1983-84 school district budget. Lower energy costs, the reduction of one teaching position at the Middle School due to declining enrollments, and continued austerity in all other budgetary areas has resulted in a gross budget that is only 1.5% above last year's total.

Employee salaries and benefits make up over two-thirds of the proposed expenditures for the coming year. While negotiations are currently in process for the vast majority of the district personnel, the budgeted amount of money proposed for wages and salaries will adequately cover any increases in this area.

A second major expenditure is energy: fuel oil for heating the buildings in the district, and gasoline and diesel fuel for the school buses. Proposed expenditure in this area will be reduced by over \$46,000 for FY '84. During the past three years, the district has taken several steps to conserve energy. As a result, the district will purchase 20,000 fewer gallons of gasoline and 10,000 fewer gallons of fuel oil than it purchased in 1979-1980. Additionally, the recent drop in energy costs has resulted in the

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BETHEL ROTARY CLUB

FIRST ANNUAL FOUL SHOOT-OFF FEB. 26

All S. A. D. 44 students, ages 8 through 12, are invited to participate in a foul shooting tournament, Saturday, Feb. 26, at Telstar Regional High School Gym. Registration will start at 9:30, with participants segregated by age. Trophies and ribbons will be awarded upon completion of the competition. The Rotary Club hopes to see participants from all of the towns covered by S.A.D. 44.

TELSTAR ATHLETIC BANQUET

DATE CHANGED TO MARCH 8

The winter athletic banquet at Telstar Regional High School has been postponed from March 1 to March 8.

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MEL JODREY RACE WINNER

—Chris Mills, pictured above, was

the winner of the Mel Jodrey Memorial Trophy at Sunday River Ski Area Feb. 16. The race is named for a former standout skier from Bethel who died at a young age in 1960. The race has been won in the past by such former U. S. ski team members as Karl Anderson and Tim Skaling. The race, a giant slalom, was set on the Sunday Punch trail and was 42 gates long. Chris's combined time for the two runs was over three seconds faster than his closest competition. The race was the last of a series of USSA Eastern Region qualifying races from which a State team is chosen. For the third year in a row Chris has been named to the Maine Alpine Racing Association team and will compete in the Eastern Championships at Sugarloaf USA in Kingfield, Feb. 27-March 4. Chris is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mills, Pine Pt. Road, Bryant Pond.

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BETHEL WATER DISTRICT

TEMPERATURE REPORT

Water, ground (below Philbrook St.) and air temperature, recorded at the Bethel Water District's Philbrook Street Office at 8 a. m., Wednesday, Feb. 23, 1983. Readings are in Fahrenheit.

	2/23/83	2/24/82	2/25/81
Water	34°	34-35°	83-84°
Ground	34°	33°	31°
3 ft.	33°	31°	31°
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GREENWOOD REC. COMMITTEE

PRESENTING OLD TIME

VARIETY SHOW, FRI., FEB. 25

On Friday, Feb. 25, the Greenwood Town Hall will ring with the sound of music and comedy as the Greenwood Recreation Committee presents its third annual variety show.

Under the direction of Gary Fuller, local talents will highlight the 7:30 show. Some old favorites will be mixed with new "finds", including a demonstration in the martial arts.

For an evening of family fun be at the Town Hall in Locke Mills this Friday evening, Feb. 25. Doors open at 7:00.

AVIATORS GROUP NOTES

ENVIRONMENTAL QUESTIONS

At the February meeting of the Bethel Aviators Group, Game Warden Galen Brackett was invited to assist the group in its evaluation of the Maine State Biologist's report as it was presented in the Bethel Airport Master Plan.

Mr. Brackett confirmed the Maine State Biologist's report stating that while the study area is close to a deer wintering area, it is not within the cover portion and the proposed new runway is unlikely to affect the deer cover. At this time it has been confirmed by aerial observation that there are 8-10 deer involved and they have shifted their quarters to the west under Locke Mountain to establish a new habitat area.

The discussion of deer actually on the runway was also discussed. New cutting and seeding in an area are known to attract deer. Airports in similar environments have minimized the problems of this situation through airport advisories. An example of a similar situation is that the Portland Jetport advises pilots to watch for seagulls in the airport area.

The conclusion of the group following the discussion was that the establishment of the proposed runway would not be a detriment to wildlife in the area.

CONTRADANCE AT

ALDER RIVER GRANGE HALL

IN EAST BETHEL, FRI., FEB. 25

A contradance with Carolyn and Friends and the Back Bay Banana Band (of Portland) will be held on Friday evening, Feb. 25, at 8:30 p. m.

Originally scheduled to be held in Locke Mills, this month's dance will be at the Alder River Grange Hall in East Bethel.

All ages and singles are welcome. All dances will be taught.

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From the Bethel Town Office

Hearing Date Set for

Meadow Brook Bridge

Reconstruction Project

The Selectmen will host a public hearing on a proposed construction project for a new Meadow Brook Bridge to be held in the Town Office meeting room at 7 p. m., Monday, Feb. 28. Interested citizens are cordially invited to attend.

Drivers who have travelled the West Bethel Flat Road to Mason or the White Mountain National Forest have encountered the hazards of the narrow, single lane, wood-planked surfaced Meadow Brook Bridge near the Town line. D.O.T. bridge engineers identified this bridge in 1982 as one of two bridges in the state in need of repair and safety improvements. This assessment spurred a joint project that could be realized this summer with the construction of a two-lane bituminous surfaced replacement bridge.

Last summer, D.O.T. completed design work on a \$55,000 bridge replacement project and submitted plans to the Town and the Forest Service (the bridge is used for logging and recreational purposes in the National Forest) for review. Forest Service and D.O.T. representatives secured the commitment of federal and state funds to the project, leaving the Town's share at \$11,000. Considering that \$8,321.54 was allocated early in 1982 for repairs to the old bridge, but carried forward to 1983 as this project was developed, \$2,678.41 of new money is needed this year to provide the Town's share of the project. Since federal funds would be involved, a public hearing, sponsored by Maine D.O.T., must be held.

Selectmen Take Stand on

Airport Development

After several weeks of discussion with community groups, business people and private citizens, the Selectmen voted at a special meeting Monday evening, Feb. 21, to recommend approval for development of improved airport facilities at Col. Dyke Field. Improvements would be in accordance with the recently completed "Airport Master Plan" study. This action parallels action on Feb. 10 by the Budget Committee voting a "recommendation for approval" of the airport articles in the 1983 Town Meeting Warrant.

The article the Bethel voters will be called upon to decide at the March Town Meeting reads as follows:

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a. To see if the Town will vote to develop an improved airport

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GOULD FACULTY MEMBER

NAMED NATIONAL COACH

Tim LaVallee of Gould Academy will spend four weeks traveling throughout Europe as an assistant coach with the United States Europa Cup Ski Team. This team which is composed of racers just below the world cup level was scheduled to leave for Europe on Feb. 23 and return to the United States on March 23. Along with Head Coach Brad Gent, Heber, Utah, and Assistant Coach Geno Cavegn from Switzerland, the team will begin a busy race schedule in Immenstadt, West Germany on Feb. 25. Then follows a series of races that will take the team through several of the European Alpine Skiing nations.

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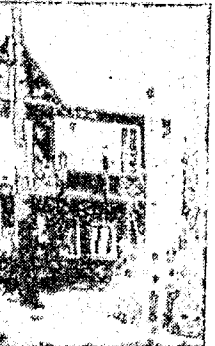
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FROM THE BETHEL AREA HEALTH CENTER

Infectious Mononucleosis (also called "kissing disease" or "glandular fever") is an acute viral infection best known for causing sore throat, very swollen glands and fever.

Transmission of the disease is not clearly understood but as its nickname implies, may result from close contact between people. It occurs more frequently in the spring and affects primarily children and young adults. During the course of Mononucleosis, abnormal antibodies will appear in the blood of infected patients. These antibodies when present will cause the red blood cells of sheep and horses to clot (agglutinate).

Testing for mononucleosis at the Health Center is done by obtaining a drop of blood from the fingertip and placing it on a test plate prepared with dried Guinea pig antigen and horse and sheep red blood cells. Water is used to mix them together. The test is read by looking for agglutination of the horse/sheep blood cells. If agglutination is present the test is positive; if no agglutination occurs the test is negative.

This "mono spot" test can be done in minutes and is at least 95% accurate. In questionable cases more elaborate testing can be done in a hospital or major laboratory.

Self Care for Senior Citizens

Plans for the program Self Care for Senior Citizens have now been finalized.

The location will be the community room of the Bethel House. The first session will be held on March 2, from 9:30 a. m. to 11:30 a. m.

B.E.A.R.S., Inc.

(Bethel Emergency Ambulance & Rescue Service, Inc.)

Congratulations to Bob and Linda Howe on the birth of their boy.

This week found the B.E.A.R.S. touring Hanover Dowel mill. Bob Saunders gave a great tour and explained many things. It was very educational and everyone enjoyed it very much. Thanks again to Bob Saunders.

Many of the B.E.A.R.S. enjoyed the "Dance for Heart" held at Telstar Gym Saturday morning. Congratulations to all the dancers. They sure did a great job. This dance was to raise money for the Heart Fund.

The monthly meeting was held on Sunday, Feb. 20. Many things were discussed. The new first responder radios are here. One will be placed in East Bethel with Laura Plawlock; one in Albany (Songo Pond) with Florence Merrill; the other one will be a standby unless the Service gets another member from the outlying areas. These radios will be used

Walking With Jesus Christ

The cry of those that abide in Christ.

Oh Lord—use me, give me compassion for others—lead me to those you would—that they might see Jesus in my life. Compassion, Lord—with understanding and most of all thy love.

Father, you said "... and I will have compassion on whom I will have compassion—" But, Lord—give me compassion for all—as I know not who will be saved. Let me hear the glad tidings of the Gospel that your name might be glorified—even at work—at play—especially at the gates of hell—for here it is that the lost are found.

Teach me thy ways, oh Lord—to follow Christ—fill my cup—lift it up to thee—fill it up that a conqueror I might be through him that loves me so—even Jesus Christ.

Lord, compassion, even in my own trials—tribulations and times of testing. Burden me that others might see Christ. May my life be not in vain—seeking the things

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Bryant Pond

— Mrs. Alice F. Hoyt, Corres. —

Woodstock Senior Citizens will meet on Thursday, March 3, at 10:30 a. m. for a pot luck dinner. Each one is to bring either a hot dish or salad or dessert and place setting. In the afternoon there will be a game party; bring a prize for that.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ring, of Freeport, called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring on Saturday.

Jim Hoyt returned home from the hospital on Thursday after a knee injury. JoAnn (Hoyt) Crockett, Bethel, returned home from the Hospital on Sunday after surgery.

Franklin Grange met on Monday, Feb. 21, with 20 members and guests present. The program consisted of: Patriotic Music; Reading on George Washington by Lettie Brooks; Telling about other noted men born in February, by all; Music by Harry Boyer; Richard Felt and David Murphy talked about town meetings in Maine and New Hampshire, things similar and different; Thought for the Day by Olive Davis. Refreshments were served after the meeting.

Beth Hoyt, Boston, spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hoyt.

a. m. and every Wednesday thereafter for 13 weeks.

This program is designed to add to the considerable medical and social life experience of senior citizens. It is hoped that it can help to deal with the pressures that are felt from current life and health problems.

For further information please call the Bethel Area Health Center at 824-2193 and ask for Shirley Powell or Muriel Whitney.

so attendants will be able to go to the scene and report the conditions to the ambulance crew—hoping to save time. The radios were purchased with money donated in memory of some loved ones.

The Board of Directors will meet Sunday night, March 6, at 6 o'clock, at the Bus Garage.

Safety Tip of the Week

—In Case of Fire

When fire strikes do one thing—get out fast! Don't waste time gathering possessions, no matter how precious they may be to you. Nothing is more precious than your life. Follow these guidelines: touch closed doors before opening. If door is warm, don't open it; escape by another route. If door is cool, open it cautiously, keeping your body behind it. If you get a blast of hot air, quickly close the door and dash for an alternate exit. Once outside don't go back in for any reason. Call the fire department.

that moth and rust corrupt. May my work be honorable unto thee—oh Lord to lay up treasures in heaven as I come up against wickedness and corruption.

In faith believing I take they word to the uttermost parts of the world and at home—may I remember thy words in Malachi as I pray, "Then they that feared the Lord spoke often one to another; and the Lord hearkened, and heard it, and a book of remembrance was written before him for them that feared the Lord, and that thought upon his name. And they shall be mine, saith the Lord of hosts, in that day when I make up my jewels."

Oh Lord—compassion, that others also might find the way and receive that crown of glory.

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Jody Shimamura and Miss Jolene Andre

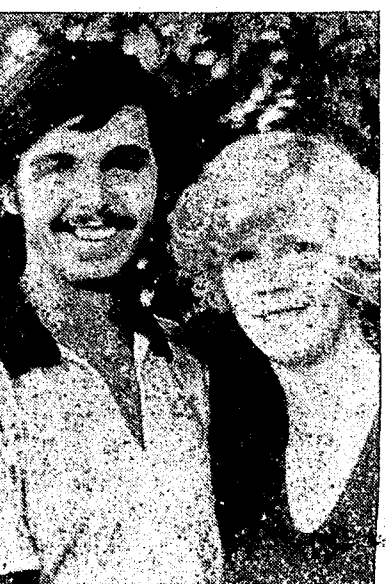
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Andre of North Leeds are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Jolene M. Andre, to Jody K. Shimamura, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ryozo Shimamura, of Bethel.

Miss Andre is a graduate of Leavitt Area High School and the University of Maine at Farmington. She is presently employed as a special education teacher in the Bethel area.

Mr. Shimamura is a graduate of Telstar Regional High School and is currently studying Environmental Geology at the University of Maine at Farmington.

The wedding will take place at the West Parish Congregational Church in Bethel on April 16.

LEBSACK - CROTEAU ENGAGEMENT



Buddy R. Croteau and Debra S. Lebsack

Announcement has been made of the engagement and forthcoming marriage of Miss Debra Sue Lebsack, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lebsack, Greeley, Colo., to Buddy Ray Croteau, son of Mr. and Mrs. Solon Croteau, also of Greeley. The wedding will take place on Saturday, Feb. 26, at the Christian Congregational Church in Greeley.

The groom, whose father is a former resident of West Greenwood, is the grandson of Mrs. Louisa Croteau, also formerly of West Greenwood, and the late Paul Croteau Sr.

MUNDT-ALLEN POST & UNIT TO MEET TUESDAY, MARCH 8

Mundt-Allen Post & Unit will be meeting on Tuesday, March 8, with a social gathering at 6 o'clock followed by a 6:30 supper and meeting. Invited guests will be the present Bethel members of the M.S.A.D. 44 Board of Directors as well as candidates for positions on that Board.

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OXFORD COUNTY STUDENTS ON DEAN'S LIST AT UMF

Students from all 16 Maine counties are among those named to the Dean's List for the fall semester at the University of Maine at Farmington.

Students ranking in the top quarter of all grade-point averages are named to the list. For fall semester, 3,467 of a possible 4.0 were required to make the list. Students with averages of 3.9375 and above received high honors: Those named from Oxford County were:

Nancy H. Mercer, Bethel; Cathryn M. Whewell, Bryant Pond; David G. Bell, Jeanne B. Scott, Buckfield; Scott J. Spaulding, Dixfield; Katherine L. Everett, Hanover; Tammy L. Durham, Molis L. Swan (high honors), Locke Mills; Ellen M. McArthur, Lovell; Barle L. Hansen, Jr. (high honors), Rebecca J. Hebert, Leah A. Palmer, Mexico; Lisa A. Belanger (high honors), Suzanne M. Bourrett, Jennifer M. Cohen (high honors), Amy G. Guimond, Patricia G. Patterson, Bruce A. Ross, Marguerite E. Welch, Paula M. White, Rumford; Christine E. Barker, Carol J. Allen, Karla R. Heikinen, South Paris; Deborah L. Dragon, West Peru.

1,989 STUDENTS ACHIEVE "B" GRADE OR BETTER AT UMO DURING FALL TERM

Students from all of Maine's 16 counties met the academic criteria of the University of Maine at Orono Dean's List for the 1982 fall semester.

The list includes the names of 1,989 students who achieved a grade point average of B or better for the fall semester. Represented on the list were 1,645 Maine residents, 334 from 22 other states, and 10 from six foreign countries.

Among those named to the Dean's List are the following from Oxford County:

Bethel: Anthony Michael Butts, Sandra Lynn MacKay, Peter Olav Wiese.

Bryant Pond: Victor Robert Hathaway, Kendall Floyd Keniston.

Buckfield: Jonathan Scott Schau. Canton: Margaret Lynn Davis.

Dixfield: Steven Paul Girardin, Danie Burton Knowles, Allen Reginald MacDonald, Gary Michael Nash, Stephen Todd Perry, Joanne Carol Stone.

Fryeburg: David Earl Brown, Julie Lynn Foster, Rebecca MacGillivray.

Hebron: Jeffrey Alan Leyden. Mexico: Ralph Thomas Carter, Deborah Leigh Kelcourse, Tina Marie Simdair.

North Waterford: Gail Marjorie Kimball, Margaret Ann Kimball.

Noway: Becky Louise Barlett, Susan Marie Downing, Ernest Harry Johnson, Sherry Ann Kozak, Dale Steven Ladner, Dana Philip Lejonhul, James Kenneth Phillips.

Oxford: Peter Alden Caradonna, Debra Marie Kugell, Donna Marie Neales, Frederick Lee Staples II.

Roxbury: Anthony Philip Touchette.

Rumford: Margaret Alice Belliveau, Christine Mary Dorion, Shelly Ann Elliott, Mary Elizabeth Hickey, Sandra J. Hussey, William Reginald Lovejoy, Todd Rolland Marsh, Barbara Jean Miller, Ruth Ann Myles, David Eric Nadeau, Patrick A. Ryan, Timothy Ivan Welch, Gregory Steven Worthley.

Rumford Pt.: David Edward Burns.

South Hiram: Bonny Lynne Nason.

South Paris: Michael Albert Turmenne, Sherry Anne Blais, Randall Charles Brown, Deanna Jean Dale, Stacie Anne Ramsay, Arnold Paul Twitchell, Elizabeth Volk, Riley S. McAllister.

West Peru: John Cleve Leckey, Karen Ann Leckey.

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— Miss Amy Hanscom, Corres. —

The Mothers Club met Monday evening at the Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club Room for a Valentine's party. Bonnie Learned, Peggy Wight, Helen Morton and June Swan served on the refreshment committee. Karlene Bachelder brought the hostess gift. Members brought and wrapped their gifts for a kitchen shower for Amy and Roger Hanscom at their new apartment at the Bethel House. Eleanor Morton, Karlene Bachelder and Nancy Wight presented the gifts at the apartment Tuesday.

Mrs. Lillian Lowell and daughters, Marie and Heather, are visiting relatives in Montreal, Canada, this week.

The Annual Town Meeting will be held March 7, at 7 p. m. at the Bear River Grange Hall. Copies of the 1982 Town Report are available at Sunday River Inn, Bear River Cabins, or from the Town Clerk's office. Town Officers will be nominated from the floor and elected at the meeting. To be elected are three Selectmen - Assessors, Town Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector and Road Commissioner, all for one year terms, and a School District Director for a three year term. Fred Burk, whose term as School Director will expire, has announced that he will not be a candidate for reelection. Anyone who is interested in this position is asked to contact the Selectmen and make an announcement, at the request of the Superintendent of Schools, Wayne Gersen, an article has been placed in the warrant to have School Directors term expire on March 31, not at the Town Meeting date, as with other officers. Since the five towns in the District hold their Town Meetings on different dates, it is felt that this is necessary, so that all newly elected Directors would begin their terms on the same date. Selectmen Stephen Wight, Lee Swan and Roger Hanscom have all indicated that they would be willing to serve another term. Road Commissioner Marshall Fleet, has not been contacted to date, but it is expected that he will also be a candidate. Constable Frederick Werner has said that he would not be a candidate for reelection, but Warren Dennis has made no such announcement. At this time there are no other announced candidates, but some may be announced later, or nominated from the floor at the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hunter and daughter, Marjorie, Corning, N. Y., spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wight. Gretchen Wight of Portland and Dana Houghton, Auburn, are spending this week with Gretchen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wight.

A Planning Board meeting is scheduled for Monday, Feb. 28, at

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SENIOR CITIZENS TO HAVE OPPORTUNITY TO RELIVE HISTORY IN BOSTON AREA

Bethel area Senior Citizens have an opportunity to relive some history this spring when they will be able to join a three day tour of Boston and vicinity. The bus will be leaving Bethel on June 6 at 8 a. m., will spend two nights in Lexington and visit many sites of interest. Sightseeing in Lexington will include a visit to the Museum of National Heritage and Minuteman National Historical Park. The second day will be spent in Boston, retracing the route of Paul Revere's ride and visiting such historic places as the Old North Church, Old Ironsides, Bunker Hill Monument and the Boston Tea Party Site. The Prudential Center and the Christian Science Monitor Building will also be included. Before leaving for home on June 8, they will visit the Walter D. Stone Memorial Zoo in Stoneham.

Those interested in learning more about this historical trip, including costs and reservation information, may call Joan Conlidge at 824-2575.

7 p. m. at the home of Julie Day. June Swan, Betsy Clark, Eleanor Morton, Karlene Bachelder, Gilbert Seely and Sylvia Wight went to Rumford bowling Wednesday, Feb. 16. Karlene was the champion for the week, with 105. She is celebrating her birthday this week.

Irving Clark, Concord, N. H., was a week end guest of his brother and sister-in-law, Richard and Betsy Clark.

Mrs. Suzanne Hayner, Glastonbury, Conn., was a week end guest of her mother, Mary Tripp.

Frankie Lomastro and Toni Bianco, North Scituate, R. I., were week end guests of Mary Tripp and joined the Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club ride on Sunday.

Mary Tripp attended the Lincoln Day Dinner at Bethel Inn, Feb. 19. Sen. William Cohen was guest speaker.

Warren Powers was guest of honor at a birthday supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Powers Sunday. Attending besides the honored guest and hosts were Ida Powers, Newry; Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Powers and Miranda, Norway. The birthday cake was made and decorated by Sandra Powers.

Dr. John Harkness and friend, Lewiston, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Powers, Saturday.

Earl Lane returned home from the Veterans' Hospital, West Roxbury, Mass., Friday.

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WOODSTOCK HISTORICAL SOC.
HOLDS HOBBY NIGHT

The last meeting of the Woodstock Historical Society was a hobby night. Among those exhibits of particular note were Irene Mill's dolls, Paul Billings' Avon Bottles, Robert Billings' firearms, and Richard Fraser's postcards. The Society is also busy ordering T-shirts and post cards to sell during the summer. Next month's program will feature Floribel Haines on chair-caning.

Much thanks must go to the Building Committee for its work in obtaining an option on the new museum. Its members are Robert Billings, Glenn Brooks, Ralph Hoyt, Eva B. Twitchell, Mansfield Packard, and Sterling Mills. The Board of Trustees and membership voted unanimously to accept the building. Spike Noyes and Mansfield Packard were placed in charge of fund-raising for the Society in the near future.

Forms were passed out on Adult Education. S.A.D. 44 plans to offer courses at Woodstock Elementary School this year.

Correction: The new building was originally owned by Capt. Dearborn, not Davidson, as reported in the last Citizen.

BETHEL EXTENSION MET
WEDNESDAY, FEB. 16

The Bethel Extension met at the home of Doris Fraser on Wednesday, Feb. 16 with seven members present. The meeting was called to order by the chairman, Iola Forbes, Secretary's and Treasurer's reports were read and accepted. It was voted to send a donation to the Stephens Memorial Hospital in memory of Elsie Inman. Maude Hunt had charge of the program on Housing and Energy. A short discussion followed. Nice refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held on March 16 at the home of Marjorie Cummings. The topic will be Clothing and Textiles.

BRYANT POND UNIVERSALIST
UNITARIAN CHURCH

The Universalist Unitarian Church in Bryant Pond will hold a Worship Service on Sunday, Feb. 27, 10:30 a. m. It will be led by Rev. Glenn Turner, District Minister of the Northeast District of the Unitarian Universalist Association.

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

I wonder if I might, through the medium of your good newspaper, have the opportunity of expressing my sincere thanks and gratitude to the Bethel Area Health Center staff, for the exceptionally fine treatment, both professionally and personally, that I have received on every occasion, in my necessary visits to that nicely located facility.

I sometimes think perhaps we are not too appreciative of what a blessing we have here—staffed as it is with the high caliber doctors, nurses and helpers, willing and anxious to serve.

These fine and dedicated people are as near to us as our telephone 24 hours a day—I know, because I and some of my neighbors have had, in emergencies, treatment very late at night.

The long, long hours of dedicated service in behalf of those that are ill and suffering deserve better than the faulting and grumbling which we sometimes hear around here.

How about, instead, supporting these people with some praise, compassion and understanding—that we well might appreciate if we were walking in their shoes? Think about it!

Respectfully submitted, thank you,

C. R. Cole
Gilead, Me.

Feb. 18, 1983

To the Editor:

In response to the Telstar Band stipend issue, I would like to respond with my views.

I don't know how many were aware of the requirement to play at all basketball games, but my daughter, who has played for the last two years in the high school and two in the middle school, did not know and being fairly new in this district, I didn't either.

I do know of one game she was told to be there to play. I made it a point to drive the nine miles to get her there. When I returned to get her, she told me only three had shown up and to top it off, she had to pay to go in.

The band worked on a money raising project so they could go away to play. New Jersey was one of the prospects. Last week she was told the band might not go any where as the chorus had

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER
AT LOCKE MILLS, MARCH 4

Be "New Persons in Christ." That is the call for this year's World Day of Prayer for women of faith in the Caribbean countries. Church Women United, the official sponsor in the United States, invites you to attend a service in your area.

This year the service will be at the Locke Mills Union Church, Locke Mills, at 2:00 p. m., on Friday afternoon, March 4.

Come to World Day of Prayer and join in prayers for renewal of hope in a divided world.

SPECIAL FILM AT
BETHEL GOSPEL CENTER
SUNDAY, FEB. 27

On Sunday, Feb. 27, at 6 p. m. the beautiful Christian film "Home Safe" will be shown at the Bethel Gospel Center, the public is cordially invited.

"Home Safe" is a film that will be of interest to the entire family. It dramatically portrays the joy, humor and also heartache of a family. It shows how Christ relates to lives today.

Bethel Gospel Center is located on Route 26, Bethel, across from the Telstar Regional High School parking lot.

"ROCK AND ROLL" FOR
HEART FUND, FEB. 27
AT LEDGEVIEW HOME

On Sunday, Feb. 27, from two until five in the afternoon Ledgeview Memorial Home in West Paris will be holding their "Rock and Roll Jamboree" to raise money for the American Heart Association. The residents will be relaxing in rocking chairs and rolling in wheelchairs to earn money for grab bags, playing games and enjoying an interesting program put on by Richard Felt and friends. Free punch will be served all afternoon. The public is invited.

His sermon will be "The Lives We Almost Led." "It often happens that for some quirk of chance or choice a life we might have led slips by us. Sometimes something major might be lost; mostly we fall upon a pattern of passing up a number of opportunities that might have made a real difference to us."—Rev. Turner.

To the Editor:
Questions About the Airport
Development Plan

Last week's article gave an account of the cost to Bethel in the past, an estimate of future costs, recommended the adoption of the plan without reservations, and invited questions.

The most important question is: do we want to make a commitment for 20 years without knowing the regulations that we will be obliged to comply with? The plan also states that it is AS-SUMED that federal and state policies will remain the same.

We understand that the plan is that the federal government will provide \$70,000, the state \$70,000 if Bethel can raise \$70,000. The value of the land is \$20,000. To raise the remaining \$50,000 the plan is to sell lots (good location, gravel, flat land, close to town water) to be developed as an industrial park. Prospective buyers have shown an interest, some publicly, others privately. Just what is an industrial park and how will this affect Bethel? Rumford has Boise Cascade, no airport.

If it is not possible to find out before the town meeting just what the regulations that we will be committed to for 20 years are, will the decision be left to the selectmen or will the taxpayers have another chance to vote?

What do we know about the experiences of other towns in Maine that have federally funded airports? Pittston is in trouble.

If we do not vote to sign this "blank check" for 20 years, might not there be another plan whereby we could proceed to develop the airport as our prosperity warrants and of more importance, under circumstances over which we would have control?

Rebecca W. C. Bailey

stayed home for several years and they might be the one to go this year. I wonder if the chorus has earned the money or do they use the money the band earned.

I agree with Rebecca Lawrence; the little recognition the band receives at these games is minimal and if the members keep getting set back, what's to encourage these talented musicians?

I would like to know what the board has in mind to do with the money they feel the band, or Mr. Hefley does not deserve?

Bonnie S. Gammon
Bryant Pond



WEST BETHEL UNION CHURCH

West Bethel Union Church held a Surprise Appreciation Day on Sunday for the members of the choir. This was planned by the organist, Nesta Littlefield, assisted by her daughter, former organist Mrs. Kathy Hoy. Mrs. Hoy was soloist for the day.

Rev. Rust expressed his appreciation to the girls for their help both in the choir and Youth Group. Mrs. Littlefield thanks the girls for their faithful attendance at rehearsals and Sunday worship. She presented a nice gift to each of the girls. Corsages were also given them.

Girls honored were Sandra Kimball, Jane Head, Tracy Kimball, and Marietta Head. A specially decorated cake and ice cream were enjoyed in the parlor after the service.

The Youth Group will be hosting a group of young people from Massachusetts from Thursday to Saturday of this week.

There will be a pot luck supper at the church on Sunday, Feb. 27, at 6 p. m. for families of the church. Bring a dish of food to share, casserole, salad or dessert. Beverage will be provided. This is for all ages.

"PEACE FUTURING" OFFERED
AS NEW ADULT ED COURSE

The S.A.D. 44 Adult and Community Education program, in cooperation with the Bethel Area Clergy Association, is offering a new course this spring, "Peace Futuring." This course is an academic, discussion-oriented approach to the issue of peace in the world.

Instructors for the course are Rev. Brendon Bass of Bethel and Rev. Michael Caldwell of Locke Mills with Emily Becker and Jim Chandler of Bryant Pond as discussion leaders. Eight sessions long, the Peace-Futuring class will be held at Telstar Regional High School on Tuesday evenings beginning March 8 from 7-9. The course presupposes a wide variety of approaches to world peace and seeks to discuss the potentials of each. Persons of all predispositions are most welcome, and will add greatly to the discussion. There is a basic assumption that "part of the present was invented, and part of the future will be invented, and the future is not simply an extension of present trends," according to Rev. Caldwell.

To enroll in the course, phone the Adult and Community Education office, 824-2136 between 8 and 12 school days, or between 6:30 and 8:30, Feb. 24, 28, and March 2.

SUPERINTENDENT'S
NEWSLETTER

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district cutting its projected gasoline and #2 fuel oil costs by 30 cents per gallon and the #6 fuel oil costs by 15 cents per gallon. As a result of these lower projections, the district is able to reduce its budget considerably in this non-instructional area.

The district plans to maintain its buildings well, completing the refurbishing of Andover Elementary School, completing several minor projects at other schools and upgrading the emergency lighting in all of the buildings.

In all other expenditure areas, the district is maintaining the status-quo, with no significant capital outlay, no significant expansion of programs, and no additional major expenses.

In examining the revenue projections for the coming fiscal year, it appears that our district, like most across the state, may be receiving relatively fewer state funds during the coming year. The Governor's initial funding proposal, would have increased the local assessments in S.A.D. 44 by 3.8%. The most recent funding recommendation, however, will cause local assessments to drop in all towns of S.A.D. 44 except Andover, which had a large increase in its state valuation.

If you have any interests in learning about the proposed FY 84 school budget, please attend the Board of Directors meeting on Monday, Feb. 28, at 7:30 p. m. in the Telstar Library, when the entire budget will be reviewed.

NEWS FROM ADULT AND
COMMUNITY EDUCATION

The S.A.D. 44 Adult and Community Education program is now accepting enrollments for the Spring term, in a variety of general interest classes. Most programs will begin during the week of March 7.

It is likely that some additional courses will be offered during the spring, dependent upon student interest and teacher availability. The Videotaped Sign Language course is available at any time for individual or group use. Arrangements to use the tapes should be made with the Adult and Community Education office, 824-2136. One request has been received for Adult Driver Education this spring. Any other adults who wish to learn to drive should contact the Adult and Community Education office as soon as possible. The course will be offered if six

APPRECIATION DAY AT WEST
BETHEL UNION CHURCH

Following church service last Sunday morning at the West Bethel Union Church are, standing, left to right: Cathy Hoy, guest soloist and former organist/choir director; Jane Head, Sandy Kimball, Tracy Kimball and Rita Head, Nesta Littlefield, organist and choir director is seated at the organ.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Friday, Feb. 25: Greenwood Variety Show, music, comedy, martial arts demonstration, Locke Mills Town Hall, 7:00.

Sunday, Feb. 27: Ski Tour, Irish Neighborhood. Contact Henry Dombkowski for information.

Monday, Feb. 28: M.S.A.D. 44 Board of Directors, special meeting, review of 1983-84 Budget, T.R.H.S., 7:30.

Tuesday, March 1: Bethel Outing Club, 824-3343 for information.

Tuesday, March 1: Solar Retrofit Workshop, T.R.H.S., 7:00.

Tuesday, March 1: Adult and Community Education Workshop and Supper, T.R.H.S., 4:30-8:30.

Wednesday, March 2: Co-Ed Volleyball sign-up and begin playing, T.R.H.S., 7:00.

Thursday, March 3: Bethel Historical Society, Moses Mason House, 7:30.

Friday, March 4: Richard Sparks—Story Teller Extraordinaire. Programs for pupils throughout the day. Community Program, 7 p. m.

Saturday and Sunday, March 5 and 6: Bill Koch Eastern Regional Nordic Ski Championships: Jumping, Swan's Corner; Race, Telstar.

Ginger Kelly of Crane Associates in Bethel is the volunteer coordinator for the Community Calendar and will accept items to be listed by mail, phone, 824-2136, or in person at her office in the Cole Block in Bethel. The calendar will include 10 days listings, and items must be submitted to Mrs. Kelly at least one week in advance of publication.

Those adults who intend to take the GED exam this spring should contact the Adult and Community Education office as soon as possible to arrange for their preparation.

The S.A.D. 44 Adult and Community Advisory Council Workshop and Training Session with Robert Curran of the Department of Education and Cultural Services will be held on March 15 from 4 to 8:30 at Telstar, rather than on March 1 as originally scheduled.

The following Cabin Fever Specials, rescheduled from snow days in January, will be held in March. Soccer for the Spectator will be held at Telstar on Wednesday, March 9 at 7 with Peter Brown and Jerry Durgin presenting an introduction to the rules and strategy of the game of soccer. On Tuesday, March 1, Richard Ray of the Energy Extension Service will offer a program on Solar Retrofit at Telstar at 7 p. m. A small fee is charged for Cabin Fever

CHURCH NEWS

Bethel United Methodist Church

Rev. Millett Cummings, Pastor
Tel. 824-2010 or 824-2213

Organist, Mrs. Susan Glines
Administrative Board Chairman,

Harold Powell
Sunday School Superintendent,
Norman Clanton

Sunday:
9:15 a. m. Church School, preschool through adult classes.

10:30 a. m. Worship Service.
Tuesday: 9:30 a. m. Bible Study at the church.

Thursday: 7 p. m. Choir rehearsal.
UMW—first Thursday of each month, 1:30 p. m.

Anyone needing prayers of church members or knowing of someone in need please call Mrs. Burton Abbott, Mrs. Wallace Saunders or Mrs. Ramond Stevens.

West Parish Congregational United Church of Christ

Church St. Bethel
Rev. Brendon Bass

Rev. Jean Bass
Co-Pastors

Miss Mary Valentine, Minister of Music

Sunday:
Church School, 9:15 a. m. Pre-School - Adult.

Worship Service, 10:30 a. m. Nursery care provided.

Wednesday:
9:30 a. m. Women's Craft Group. (Fourth Wednesday of each month—Women's Fellowship.)

5:30 p. m. Youth Fellowship, Grades 6-8.

Thursday:
5:30 p. m. Pilgrim Fellowship, Grades 9-12.

7:30 p. m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal.

Clothing Depot: Call 824-2653 or 824-3806 for assistance.

Our Lady of the Snows Catholic Church

Rt. 28 Bethel
Rev. Donald R. Proulx

Saturday, 4:30, Anticipated Mass.

Bethel Gospel Center of Christian & Missionary Alliance

D. N. Larson, Pastor

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a. m., three year olds through adults.

Babysitting for all children under five years during Church.

Morning Worship, 10 a. m. Evening Service, 6 p. m.

Monday: Men's Bible Studies, 7 p. m.

Ladies' Bible Study, Tuesdays, 9:30 a. m. — for location call: 824-2859. Babysitting.

Wednesday, 7 p. m.: Prayer and Bible Study.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene

Church Street
Rev. Barry Beverage

Sunday:
Sunday School (for all ages including adults), 9:30 a. m.

Morning Worship, 10:30 a. m. Evening Worship, 6 p. m.

Wednesday: Prayer Meeting, 7 p. m. Youth Meeting, 7 p. m.

For transportation or information to any service call 824-2872.

West Bethel Union Church

Rev. Norman Rust, Minister

Phone: Church 836-2925 Home 392-2091

Parish Day Thursday

Mrs. Nesta Littlefield, Organist

Mrs. Rodney Kimball, Custodian

Morning worship and Church School, 9:15 a. m.

Nursery provided for pre-school children.

Chapel Aid, second Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Pleasant Valley Bible Church

836-2823

B. R. Griffith, Pastor

Linda Stowell,
Pianist and Choir Director

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a. m. Ages 3 through adult.

Morning worship, 10 a. m. Babysitting for children through age 5.

Tuesday: Bible practice, 6 p. m. Prayer and Bible Study, 7 p. m.

Thursday afternoon Ladies Bible Study. Babysitting available.

Those needing information or rides to church activities, please call Maureen at 824-2949.

Locke Mills Union Church

Rev. Michael Caldwell

Mrs. Richard Melville, Organist

Church Services, 9:00 a. m. Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.

Bible Study and Discussion, Thursday, 8:15 p. m.

Trustees meet the second Wednesday of each month, Sunday School Room.

Ladies Circle meets every third Wednesday at 1:30 p. m.

Choir Rehearsal, Thursday, 6:30-7:30 p. m.

Youth Group, Thursday, 7-8 p. m.

Bryant Pond

Unitarian-Universalist Church

Worship and discussion by members focusing on topics of ethics and social responsibilities. Seekers from various backgrounds welcome. Alternating Sunday evenings at 1:30 p. m. Call Bryant Pond 101 for information.

Specials, which is collected at the class.

Babysitting Safety, a two week course in the basics of babysitting for students ages 9 to 14, including first aid, basic child care, and what to do in an emergency, will be offered from March 8 to 17 at Telstar High School from 2:45 until 4:45 on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. This course is sponsored by the Health Education Department of Stephens Hospital, in cooperation with the Bethel Area Health Center and the S.A.D. 44 Adult and Community Education program. There will be a registration fee. To enroll, call the Adult and Community Education office at Telstar, 824-2136, between the hours of 8 and 12 a. m. 6:30 and 8:30 p. m. on Feb. 21, 28 or March 2.

U.M.W. TO MEET MARCH 3
AT CHURCH ANNEX

The United Methodist Women will hold their March 3 meetings at the Church annex at 1:30. The residents of the Bethel House are invited as guests.

Bryant Pond Baptist Church

Pastor: Linwood Hanson

Sunday:
9:15 a. m. Sunday School.

10:30 a. m. Worship Service.
6:00 p. m. Lifeline for High Schoolers.

6:00 p. m. Evening Service.
Wednesday, Bible Study & Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p. m.

Thursday, Awana Clubs: 2:30-4:00 for K thru Gr. 2; 6:00-8:00 for Gr. 3 thru Gr. 8.

Newry Community Church

Newry, Maine

Rodney Hanson, Pastor

Robert Duran, Organist

Sunday Morning Worship, 9:00.

Thursday, 7 p. m. Bible Study at Owen Wright's.

Assembly of God

Upton

Rev. Andy Torbett

Saturday, 7 p. m. Worship Service.

First Congregational Church

United Church of Christ

Rev. Norman Rust, Pastor

Phone: Church 392-4678 Home 392-2091

Organist and Choir Director, Mrs. Linda Burnham

Sunday School Supr., Paula Putnam

Sunday:
11:15 a. m. Worship Service and Church School.

Friday: Choir Rehearsal, 7 p. m. Ladies Aid—Every other Monday at noon, C. E. B.

Calvary Congregational Church

Route 5

Andover, Maine

Pastor: Donald Grover

Pianist: Mrs. Edna White

Choir Director: Carol Stuart

Sunday School Superintendent: Marjorie Stinson

Worship Service, 10:45.

Sunday School, 9:30.

Youth Group, 5:30.

Prayer and Praise, Wednesdays at 7:30 at the church.

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For Sale

1976 Winchester 3 bedroom mobile home, 1 1/2 baths, kitchen w/ appliances. Good condition, must be moved. Must be sold. Call after 5 or week ends, 778-9629. 8tf

Coat, new, black with real fur collar, long, size 24, \$15; storm coat, navy, size 24, \$10; quilt all made by hand, with sunbonnet babies on it, \$50, never used; men's cashmere bathrobe, size 24, worn once, \$5; lots of records, some never played, \$2 each while they last. M. Langway, Box 6, Bryant Pond, Maine. 8

FOR SALE - Snowmobiles: 1979 Lynx; 1980 Jag. Both twin cylinders, speedometers, one has saddle bag, both new covers, act. mileage on both less than 800 miles. Norelco Microwave oven used just twice. Call Clyde Stanton, 583-4038, North Waterford. 8-9p

A beautiful sight and sheer delight - when your carpets are cleaned with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer, \$1 and \$2 machines. Brooks Bros., Inc., 824-2158. 8

Siamese kitten for sale. Male. Six weeks old. Asking \$25.00. Call Brad Wright at 824-2288 after 5:00 p.m. 8

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Orders taken for homemade doughnuts and pies. Tel. 824-2219. 4tf

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Just in—1981 VW Rabbit 1/2 ton, 5 sp., 35 mpg, AM/FM, one owner, 18,000 miles, includes new cap. \$5,395

1981 Ford Thunderbird, loaded, 23,000 miles, Laudat package. \$7,495

1981 Chev. Chevette, 4 cyl., diesel, automatic. \$5,195

1980 Datsun 1/2 ton, 5 speed, clean little truck. \$3,995

1980 Mustang, 4 sp., P/S, fancy economy car. \$3,895

1980 Honda Civic, T300 DX, 37,000 mi., 5 speed. \$3,795

1980 Plymouth TC3 Coupe, 30+ mpg, real pretty. \$4,495

1980 Datsun B210, 2 dr., sedan, 5 sp. \$3,995

1980 Datsun B 210, S/L Wagon, 27,000 miles, red, automatic. \$4,595

1980 Chev. Citation, silver and red, automatic, 27,000 miles. \$4,295

1980 Pontiac Sunbird, 6 cyl., automatic, yellow. \$3,995

1979 Chev. Malibu Classic Estate Wagon, 305, automatic, P/S. \$4,195

1979 AMC Spirit, 3 dr., 6 cyl., automatic. \$2,995

1979 Dodge Ram 4x4, S/E package, special wheels and tires. Only 37,000 miles. \$4,995

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1978 Pontiac Phoenix, 4 dr., 6 cyl., auto., low miles. \$3,195

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1977 Chrysler Cordova 318, P/S, one owner, real clean. \$2,495

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MOLLOCKETT MIXERS

PIE DANCE FEB. 26

Mollockett Mixers will hold a "Pie Dance" at Ramford High School Feb. 26 from 8 to 11 p.m. Dancers should bring their own pies. Gordon Anderson will be calling squares and Wally Weeks cueing rounds.

For Sale

FOR SALE - Package deal, 2 pick up trucks: one 1967 half ton Chev., one 1971 half ton GMC, both need work, both can be driven, \$550 or best offer. Call for information, 836-2233. 2tf

FOR SALE - 1971 Maverick for parts. Excellent motor, transmission etc., \$100, 836-2233. 2tf

HAY FOR SALE, \$1.15 a bale at the barn. Call 824-3170, 5-8

For Rent

FOR RENT - Large House, Howe Hill Road, Locke Mills, across from fire station. Also ski chalet in Mt. Abram Village. Inquire 1st house on right past ball field, Howe Hill Road, Bruce Kenyon, Box 58, Locke Mills. 8

APARTMENT FOR RENT - West Bethel area, children allowed, garbage removal, hot water and electric included, \$40 weekly, \$80 deposit. Available immediately. 824-2552, after 5. 8tf

FOR RENT - Furnished Efficiency Apartment on quiet residential street in town - comfortable for one or two adults - no children or pets - woodstove - \$50 per week plus security deposit. Available March 6 thru May 31. Call 824-2030. 8tf

FOR RENT - Country home on Sunday River Road. 824-2088, 6-9p

Wanted

Antiques, glass, china, clocks, furniture, early tools, lamps. One item or entire estate. Appraisal service Ramford Center Antiques, Albert H. Brown, Tel. 364-2073. 1-26p

WANTED TO BUY - Scrap metal. Home evenings and week ends. RAYMOND CHAPMAN, 836-2585. 39tf

Real Estate

GILLIES REALTY, INC. Sunday River Home. Well located with attractive yard. Family-sized living and play areas, 3 bedrooms. Easy heating with wood and/or FHW furnace. Great ski base. \$49,000. Call 824-3211. 8tf

Assumable 10% VA mortgage. 3-4 bedroom home in Mayville section. Excellent condition throughout. Would qualify for MSHA Home program. \$42,500. Strout Realty, Hanover, 364-8076. 7tf

GILLIES REALTY, INC. Mount Abram home. Private setting with deck and garden spot, 3 bedrooms, 2 bath, insulated Thermopane windows/doors, Fisher woodstove. Assumable mortgage at 8 1/2%. \$32,000. Call 824-3211. 8tf

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AA meets Wednesday, 8 p.m., at Telstar Regional High School. 2tf

Shop and Portable Welding, water thawing. Brown's Welding Shop, Bethel, 824-2752. 11tf

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North East Lovell

Pauline Smith, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Fox and children visited Susan's father, Ernest Billings, at Mercy Hospital, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Henderson of South Portland spent the week end at their camp here.

Leroy and Pauline Smith were in Fyeburg, Friday.

Linda Allen and Scottie took Iva Fox to Norway, Friday. Iva visited at cousin Errol and Gertrude Barker's.

Dot and Bill Force have helped some with Iva's furnace.

Larry Fox's sons, Raymond and Troy, visited him from Norway last week end.

Ed Josephine was in to Bob Grant's this week.

Arthur and Margaret Weeks entertained their son and wife and grandson, from Massachusetts.

Mary Fox and children called on Iva Fox, Monday.

Several went on a snowmobile trip Monday.

Some of our fields quite bare.

Vesta Nelson called on cousin Iva Fox Monday.

The Robert Johnstons visited Norma's folks, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fox, of West Lovell, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Files had dinner at Gordon and Frances Eastman's. George has been cutting wood for Gordon Eastman.

Susan Fox and children helped Iva Fox Friday with the washing and dishes.

star Gym on March 30 for the remainder of the season. Pre-registration for the league would be helpful and those interested may call the Adult and Community Education office, 824-2136, between 8 and 12 on school days, and between 6:30 and 8:30 on February 24, 28 and March 2.

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POET SPENDS TWO DAYS

AT GOULD ACADEMY

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THIS WEEK AT THE MOSES MASON HOUSE

Members and friends of the Bethel Historical Society are reminded that the next monthly meeting will be held on Thursday, March 3, in the meeting room of the Moses Mason House, 7:30 p. m. Sue Farrar will deliver a history of Spring Street, one of Bethel's shortest streets but also one of its most historic. Everyone interested is cordially invited to attend.

A major event of this week was the visit of fifth graders from Crescent Park School to the Moses Mason House, an account of which appears elsewhere in this paper. The Society is grateful to all who made this possible.

One hundred years ago the "Oxford Democrat" was reporting that a Bethel woman, Ruth Cummings, age 93, "recently had four

new teeth make their appearance." Simeon Brown of Bethel was described as one of the town's "smart old men." At 84 he has "fitted some 25 cords of old growth wood for the stove. His health was described as "excellent" and he "walks with far more buoyancy of step than many men a quarter of century younger." It was reported that John Swan had just shipped 84 car loads of potatoes from the Bethel railroad station destined for Boston, Lynn and Haverhill, Mass. The price he received was 75 cents per bushel. The Ladies' Social Circle met at the home of Mrs. C. S. Littlehale's (now the Moses Mason Museum) for organ music and singing. Of special interest was a pyramid cake made by Mrs. Gray. Over \$30 was realized from the Mum Festival at the Waterspout Mountain House on Chandler Hill.

Sunday River

— Jeanne Fleet, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd O'Brien of Cumberland, called on the David Fleets.

Miss Sharon Daye is home from C.M.V.T.I. for the week's vacation.

Miss Tammy Fleet is home from Hesser College for the week. Hi to her roommates, Grace, Jean and Sue.

Mrs. Rita Laurinatis and children called on Mary Morin Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph DeAngelis of Roslindale, Mass., spent the week end at their camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Russell of Westwood, Mass., were at their home for the week end.

The Newry Mothers Club is looking for their metal folding table. If anyone knows the whereabouts, please contact any of the members.

The Newry Mothers Club will be having a food sale March 11 at 10 a. m. at the Bethel IGA. Also the cookbooks have arrived and will be on sale at this time too.

Mrs. Isabelle Rolfe and Mrs. Ed Hoff had supper with the David Fleets Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson and Brad of Lisbon Falls called on Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hartthorne and family.

Ray Clouston is spending a few days with his grandmother, Mary Morin.

Sent in by Viva Whitman

Another week gone by and that much closer to Spring. I don't know about anyone else, but I'll be glad to see Spring come. It has not been that bad a winter, but I am always happy to see the green come on the trees.

Didn't do much on Monday only go for groceries. It seems we like to eat too well.

Tuesday afternoon, Russell and Peggy had appointments in South Paris so I went alone. As usual, when we are near stores we have to investigate to see if we can't buy something, which is what we usually wind up doing. There is always that something you just can't pass by.

Wednesday, I had an appointment in Fryeburg so Russell and I were on the road again. Peggy came home sick during the forenoon. A lot of sickness around.

Thursday was a snowy and slippery day, so cancelled appointments any of us had and stayed home. It made a lot more sense to us to keep off the slippery highways.

As Friday turned out to be good, we went to South Paris and Norway after Peggy got out of work. Had a few things that had to be done and got it out of the way that day.

Saturday, I was under the weather so didn't do much. Guess I had a touch of the flu as Peggy did. We were lucky that we got over it as fast as we did.

Got up Sunday to find a beautiful day dawning. Peggy went to do the wash bright and early, while Russell and I puttered around doing other things. When Peggy got home, she said it was too good a day to stay home and had heard of a Mall in North Conway she would like to go to. She thought it would be a grand day for a ride, so we got ready in a hurry and away we went. You couldn't have asked for a better

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Songo Pond

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —

Mrs. Marie Hill of Bryant Pond was a week end visitor of Phyllis and Bill Bancroft. Also callers on Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Morrill, their daughter, Mrs. Brenda Hawkes and new baby boy, all of Freeport.

Mrs. Irene Anderson will host a workshop for benefit of the Albany Congregational Church at her home Thursday evening, March 3. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Doyen with Mrs. Connie Hindman were in Lewiston recently to see an eye specialist.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Awalt of Augusta were overnight guests Sunday of the Jesse Doyens.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kimball were in Gray Sunday morning on business.

Pat Grenier is recuperating from an attack of gout.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Parsons, Kathy and Peter, of Hebron, Conn., are visiting this parents, Jack and Eleanor Parsons, this week. Also relatives in Buckfield.

It returned home Tuesday afternoon after spending the past 16 days with the Bean family in Otisfield. Stephen Bean is now recovering at home after major surgery at Maine Medical Center, Portland. Sarah, Amber, and David Bean came home with me to spend a day or so. then will go to Hanover to visit the Adams family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parsons were in Rumford on Tuesday.

Of all life's lessons large and small

Those taught with love are best of all.

HOME ECONOMICS I AT TELSTAR SALUTES DENTAL HEALTH MONTH

National Dental Health Month was recognized recently by students of Mrs. Arsenault's Home Economics I class at Telstar Regional High School when they prepared non-sugared snacks for the third graders of Crescent Park School. The snacks were served by advanced foods class members Belissa Coriveau and Callie Clark on Monday at the third grade Valentine's party. The most popular snack contributed by the students seemed to be peanut butter balls. The recipe follows for anyone who might be interested in trying them at home.

Peanut Butter Balls

2 cups peanut butter
1 cup raisins
1/2 cup walnuts, broken
2 1/2 cups crushed cornflakes
In a plastic bag firmly crush cornflakes. In medium sized bowl, combine peanut butter, raisins, walnuts and one cup of the cornflakes. Form mixture into 1" balls. Roll balls into cornflakes, coating evenly. Place on cookie sheet and chill (they are very soft). Makes about 50.

SENIOR CITIZEN MENU

Monday, Feb. 28: Hamburg, rice, tomato casserole, corn, applesauce.

Tuesday, March 1: Baked chicken, baked sweet potatoes, wax beans, fresh fruit.

Thursday, March 3: Pea soup, hot dog and roll, cheese, plums.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

S.A.D. #44 — WEEK OF FEB. 28

Monday: Macaroni and cheese, cold cuts, salad, orange juice, brownie, bread and butter, milk.

Tuesday: Hamburg-cheese pizza, corn, potato chips, fruit, milk.

Wednesday: Oven fried chicken, mashed potato, peas, mixed desserts, dark roll and butter, milk.

Thursday: Sloppy Joe on rice or biscuit, green beans, pears, bread and peanut butter, milk.

Friday: Dagwood in home made bun, (turkey, ham, cheese, lettuce), carrots, fruit, bread and butter (optional), milk.

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ADULT EDUCATION TO OFFER NEW SERIES OF GENERAL INTEREST COURSES

The S.A.D. 44 Adult and Community Education program will offer a new series of general interest courses starting in early March. Registration is in progress for courses which include a wide range of offerings, ranging from a Craft Showcase to Solid Waste Management and from one-night programs to ten week courses. Adult and Community Education Director Cathy Newell is holding special evening registration hours on Feb. 23, 24, 28 and March 2 between 6:30 and 8:30 in addition to usual week day hours from 8 a. m. until noon. During the vacation week of Feb. 21, those wishing to enroll should call or stop in only during the evening hours. The telephone number for Adult and Community Education is 824-2136.

Health-related offerings included in the S.A.D. 44 program are a Nutrition course to be taught by Anne Marie Davee, dietitian at Stephens Memorial Hospital, a special cancer education class, "I Can Cope," offered in cooperation with the Health Education Department at the Stephens Memorial Hospital, and a pilot program, Self-Care for the Elderly, developed over the past three years at the Dartmouth Medical School, and presented in the S.A.D. 44 area by the Adult and Community Education program and the Bethel Area Health Center. The Health Center is also presenting a spring section of the popular Prepared Childbirth Course, for expectant parents.

Adults desiring new information in areas of critical concern will find courses in Solid Waste Management, presented by Fergus Lea of the Androscoggin Valley Council of Governments, which will explore such topics as Landfills, resource recovery and recycling, and in Peace Futuring, a discussion course which will focus on the quest for peace in our world. Peace Futuring is offered in cooperation with the Bethel Area Clergy Association, and will be taught jointly by Michael Caldwell and Brendon Bass. There will be two sections of the popular Computer Literacy course, taught on Tuesday nights by Ted Davis, and on Wednesday by Doug Trotter. Woodlot management will be the topic of the Yankee Woodlot course, which will center around the television series developed for Channel 10. Rusty Clark of the Extension Service will introduce the tapes, and coordinate guests and materials to supplement the video-taped presentations.

In the area of automobiles, Sam Westleigh will offer a "hands-on"

class in basic maintenance procedures and tips at Sonny's Texaco Station in Bethel. Ralph Niemi, veteran driver education instructor, will teach a mini-course in Driving a Manual Transmission Automobile. This course will be scheduled if there is interest, and will combine class and road work. Anyone who wishes to take the class should contact the Adult and Community Education office as soon as possible.

Athletic opportunities for adults will include the Co-ed Volleyball League, which will have a sign-up night and team formation on Wednesday, March 2, at the Telstar Gym starting at 7. Those who are signing up should come prepared to play. Town Team Tennis is scheduled for a re-organization this spring, based on the trial session held last fall. Adult and Community Education Council member Gary Fuller will hold a planning session at Telstar in March. Anyone with an interest in competitive tennis for the spring and summer should contact him or the Adult and Community office for details. Gerry Durgin will again offer a Softball Officiating course in preparation for the high school and summer league seasons. A full schedule of Aerobic Dance classes, taught by Sue Farrar, will begin during the last week of March. New students may call Mrs. Farrar, until March 2 to enroll, or the Adult Ed. office after that date.

Craft classes set for the spring include Stained Glass with Bob Grover, Machine Embroidery with Rachey MacKay, Graphic Arts with David Tripp, Oil Painting in Andover with Sandra Clement, a special Craft Showcase taught by Dee Dee Kellogg and Brenda Brown, Rug Braiding in Andover with Virginia Daigle, Advanced Quilting in Andover with Cathy Calef, Beginning Quilting in Bethel with Carol Gersen, Hand Spinning with Sue Laban, and an Introduction to Drawing and Painting with Doug Bane.

Vocational programming and job-related skills included in the S.A.D. 44 line-up are Beginning and Advanced Woodworking, taught by Rich Roy and Ed Kennet respectively. Both classes will provide an emphasis on hand tools and the advanced class will focus on fine cabinetry skills and various types of joints. National Electric Code will be taught by Blake MacKay. Speedwriting by Cheryl Lord, Accounting by Ralph Niemi, Welding by Arnie Brown and an introduction to Librarian-ship by Helen Fisher. The latter course is offered at Telstar by the Maine State Library. Traditional Blacksmithing will again be offered by Paul Beaton at his shop

in Woodstock. The dates for the Blacksmith class depend on road conditions during mud season but will probably be four Sundays in April.

Foods Laboratory, the popular gourmet class, co-taught by Merton Brown and Vicky Rackliff, will again be offered in Bethel, featuring new methods of food preparation and unusual dishes. Each class offers students the opportunity to participate in the food preparation and eating. In Andover, Rebecca Schachter will teach a Breads and Baking Class at her home, which will cover the chemistry and techniques of bread making for 12 to 15 yeast breads plus quick breads. On April 6, Brenda Edick of Central Maine Power will be back with a new microwave cooking demonstration class at Telstar.

The beginning techniques of home sewing will be taught in a class offered at Telstar by Sharon Felt, and the more experienced seamstress will benefit from three special demonstration classes on Lingerie, T-Shirts and Swim Suits by Kay Chabourne.

Cultural offerings in the S.A.D. 44 program include Community Chorus, Beginning Conversational French, and Beginning Conversational German with Monique Rolfe and Bode Wellford respectively. Literature at the Library with Suzanne Taylor. Archaeology with Al Barth which will include field trips. Art Appreciation with Becky Bailey and Human Interaction with Phyllis Dock.

A Career Guidance Group, under the direction of Dan Hart, Guidance Director at Telstar Regional High School, will meet on Thursday nights, and explore interest and job-seeking skills. This class will be offered for one-half adult high school diploma credit, and is open to diploma students and others. A Babysitting Safety class for students between the ages of 9 and 14 including first aid basic child care and emergency procedures will be held after school on Tuesday and Thursdays, starting March 8 at Telstar in cooperation with Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Other courses, and one-night programs, may be scheduled by the S.A.D. 44 Adult and Community Education program during the spring. Suggestions for courses to be considered should be made to Cathy Newell at the Adult and Community Education office. Students interested in preparation and testing for the GED, or high school equivalency exam, or in help with basic skills in reading and math, are able to start at any time throughout the term, by calling the Adult and Community Education office.

Gilead

— Louise Loring, Corres. —

Have you ever noticed that sun isn't shining like a winter any more? Over the week end Saturday and Sunday it was a blessing of warmth, adding what is to come. It is even the trees are lifting up arms in sheer enjoyment, the zen banks of ice are becoming the trickling rivulets, as the warms them, and penetrates own bones and blood. You can see that the mountains surrounding this little valley are bearing the Ges of rose-greys and yellow. Mother Nature starts to prepare us all for spring. When friend I walked the North Road last day we also noted that the willows along the river banks marshes are starting to lift forth into tiny puffs of silver the merganser ducks—seven of them in all were romping on the floating blocks of ice in cold Androscoggin, and were hilarious sight to behold, as scooted across the water landing.

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Mrs. Anna Belanger visiting her mother, Mrs. Yvonne Hanscom at the Androscoggin Valley Hospital in Berlin one day last week. Her mother, who is 84, just recently underwent a serious surgical operation.

Mrs. Beverly Corriveau and Louise Loring were in Norway one day last week where they called upon Larry Robinson who has been a patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital. They also called upon Mrs. Corriveau's brother-in-law and Mrs. Loring's aunt, Lenora B. Herrick, who are both patients at the Andrews Nursing Home in South Paris.

Danny Cole and two children spent the week end ice fishing at Songo Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Yvon Corriveau and girls, Elaine and Tammy, were in West Paris last Saturday helping to celebrate the birthday of Maxine's mother, Mrs. Ella Russell. A large family gathering was present, 40 in all, to celebrate Mrs. Russell's 70th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rosaire Corriveau were also in attendance.

Mrs. Phyllis Lorie, of West Paris, was a Saturday afternoon caller at Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Loring's. Richard Cross and daughter, Kelsey, also called in the afternoon.

Mrs. Jean Corriveau of Turner called upon family and friends last Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Mary Cole, granddaughters Kelly and Kathy, and Mary Edith Tyler, were in Rumford to attend the movie "E. T."

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Legendre celebrated their wedding anniversary at the VFW in Berlin last week end.

The Kellys and friends of Norway, Mass., are here for the week partaking of winter vacation, and enjoying varied sports in the area.

Anita Ferrand, Anna Belanger and Louise Loring enjoyed shopping at the George Washington Day sales in Rumford on Monday.

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Andover

— Mrs. Marjorie Jodrey, Cor. —

Sympathy is extended to Mrs. Olive Whitten in the loss of her brother.

Mrs. Walter Jodrey, Mrs. Rex Thurston and sons, Danny and Kurt, were in Lewiston on Friday. Danny went to see his doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Fyrberg and Jenny and Mrs. Frances Nevel were in Lewiston and Auburn on Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Thurston and sons, Danny, Jon and Kurt left Saturday to spend the long week end in Manchester, N. H., to visit her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Humphrey and Melissa. The Humphreys will be leaving on Thursday for two weeks in Florida to visit his sister and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McGuire have three or four robins at their feeding station. I think that's a sure sign of spring along with all this lovely weather. One robin has been living there all winter.

Mrs. Floyd Emerson Sr. and granddaughter, Tracey, left Sunday to spend a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frankie Emerson and Forrest in Lawrence, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnston attended "The Twin Cities Squares Plus Two" dance in Auburn on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Farrington accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Richard Johnston to the "Triple Town Swingers" dance.

Mrs. Grace Simmons, Mrs. Ismay Meacham, Mrs. Barbara Warner and Stephanie Merrill left Friday to spend the long week end in Kittery visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bud Hilton and family.

Mrs. Eva Bodwell and Allen also left Friday for Kittery to visit her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hilton, and family.

Frankie Gammon is a patient at St. Mary's Hospital in Lewiston.

On Monday, Feb. 14, the Ladies Aid of the First Congregational Church met at the C.E.B. at noon for a pot luck luncheon with 16 present. Ten get-well cards were sent to sick and shut-ins. An exchange of homemade Valentine gifts was enjoyed. The next meeting will be on Monday, March 7, at 12 noon at the C.E.B. On Saturday, Feb. 18, Roberta Learned and her committee ran a very successful food sale for the Ladies Aid.

Feb. 20, Children's Sunday was celebrated at the First Congregational Church. Rev. Rust's sermon was "Tempted Like Jesus".

Greeters were Alys Parsons and Roberta Learned. On Monday, Feb. 23, at 9:30 a. m. Bible Study at the Parsonage (instead of Tuesday); do lesson (ch. 18-19). Standing Committee will meet on March 6 at 7 p. m. in the Summer Room.

Andover Public Library meeting will be held Thursday, March 3, at 7 p. m. at the Library.

Mrs. Ruth Sidelinger and Mrs. Jean Dunning are patients at the Rumford Community Hospital.

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East Stoneham

— Gladys Kilgore, Corres. —

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Plummer went to see their doctor in Bethel Wednesday. They also went to Livermore with Mrs. Louise Morse.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nelson and Bob Millett spent the holiday at the Nelson camp in Wilson's Mills. A few of their friends of Norway also went.

A plumber was called from Norway to the home of Mrs. Betty Stearns one day last week.

Mrs. Nellie Hatstat of Albany called on Mrs. Brenda Gordon Thursday afternoon.

Jeff Hooker, our pastor, was in town making calls, Thursday. I don't have as many birds as usual. I think it is because of the milder weather, and so little snow.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Doughty of Norway attended church here Sunday and called on friends.

Miss Wendy Fox was hostess for the morning lunch held after church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Morton, and Chester Ladd of Rumford Point, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ladd, on Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Cutting was taken by ambulance to Stephens Memorial Hospital on Saturday morning.

Elderwood Manor Items
Mrs. Minnie Hines was a visitor at her brother's, Mr. and Mrs. Norman White's, on Saturday.

Florence Hall entertained at a housewares party on Sunday afternoon. Present were: Polly Johnston, Joyce Reier, Glenice Roberts, Ann Bishop, Gertrude Hutchins, Marjorie Jodrey, Flora Whitten, the hostess, and demonstrator, Olive Whitten.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Powell of Mexico called on her mother, Mrs. Alma Hevey on Sunday.

Two robins were seen by tenants of the Manor this week. Either it means an early spring or they took a wrong turn somewhere.

Florence Hall attended the wedding reception for Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ladd at the Town Hall on Saturday.

Anne Fox went to Sunday River Skiway on Sunday to watch the skiers.

Dorothy Elliott and Florence Hall were in South Paris on Monday.

Mrs. Marion Ladd, Rumford Point, had dinner with Dorothy Elliott on Sunday.

Mrs. Florence Learned, Rumford Center, had dinner with her sister, Mrs. George Fraser on Sunday.

Mrs. Bernice Glover, Mrs. Elizabeth Semett and Mrs. Catherine McGuire were in Lewiston on Tuesday. Mrs. Glover's daughter, Mrs. Earl Milligan of Rumford took them.

Miss Nancy Fox, Bethel, visited her grandmother, Mrs. Anne Fox, on Monday.

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North Waterford

— Mrs. Jo Sanderson, Cor. —

Capt. John P. Cushman, Sr., of Lynnfield, Mass., has been spending a week at his cottage at Jewett Pond. Al Weymouth visited with him while there.

Clyde Stanton Jr. and Jo Sanderson went ice fishing at Jewett Pond Wednesday and reported a good catch.

There was a good turn-out at the special town meeting Saturday. It was to discuss plowing driveways another winter. Many questions were asked and the answers came from Oxford County Senator Donald Twitchell and Theodore Kurtz, attorney, of South Paris.

Mrs. Gayle Weymouth has been on the sick list for several days with a virus.

A group of snowmobilers from here went up-country to Wilson's Mills for the long week end.

The skiers were very plentiful in our region.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sylvia of Gales Ferry, Conn., spent the week end with the Charles at Cushman Pond and visited relatives here.

Schools here are having a week's vacation. They will start again Monday, Feb. 28.

Several from here attended the oratorical program at Norway, Sunday sponsored by Stone-Smart Post #82. There was a good attendance.

First place went to a young man from Lisbon and second place to a Bethel student.

West Paris

— Mrs. Marian Chase, Corres. —

Mrs. Gregg Inman and daughter, Abby Louise, have returned home from C.M.M.C., Lewiston.

Mrs. Joan Gibson Wheeler and her daughter, Janet, of Bakersfield, Calif., are visiting Mrs. Annette Gibson who has recently returned home from Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Rachel Ruokolainen was the guest of honor Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Chase, for a birthday dinner. Also present were Nestor Ruokolainen, Lisa, Karen, Angelia and Jennifer; Mr. and Mrs. Rick Chase, Ricky and Chad; Mr. and Mrs. Randy Chase and Rebecca.

Mrs. Frances Millett, Mrs. Maude Millett of Lewiston, called on Mrs. Lula Buck; Saturday.

Forward Fellowship will meet Monday, Feb. 28, for their monthly meeting at the Manse. A 6 p. m. pot luck supper will precede the business meeting.

The West Paris Senior Citizens will meet at the Legion Hall on Tuesday, March 1, for a pot luck noon lunch and meeting. Wilbur Libby will present a travelogue on a tour to the World's Fair.

Mrs. Liz Rowe was at her home on High St. over the week end.

Several from here attended the oratorical program at Norway, Sunday sponsored by Stone-Smart Post #82. There was a good attendance.

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West Greenwood

— Carolyn M. Colby, Corres. —

Howard Gorham saw a robin, Saturday. When the robins come can Spring be far behind?

Louisa Croteau hasn't been feeling well recently. Hope she has regained her health by now.

Best wishes for many years of happiness for Debra Sue Leback and Buddy Ray Croteau, who are to be married Feb. 26. Buddy is the son of Solon and Christine Croteau of Greeley, Colo., and the grandson of Louisa Croteau, formerly of West Greenwood, and the late Paul Croteau, Sr.

A few from the area have been ill with a flu-like sickness.

The culverts have frozen again this year and the road by Maude and Raymond Harrington's is in poor condition.

3,000 repair projects under consideration, only 200 can be handled adequately under the present budget restriction. Another priority was to ensure that the cities of Maine get their block grants from the state. Other department proposals for increased taxes included charging diesel-burning vehicles two cents more a gallon than other vehicles; adding two cents more a gallon onto the fuel tax for the heaviest rigs; and hiking fees for three and four axle, single-unit trucks.

According to the Commissioner of Transportation, the \$25 million a year from the gas tax would go towards:

- \$10 million for capital improvements such as maintenance and resurfacing programs.
- \$10 million to restore funds for the local assistance program passed in the 110th Legislature.
- \$5 million would provide matching funds for additional federal money.

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HOMER J. PATENAUE

Homer J. Patenaude of Gilead, died Tuesday, Feb. 22, 1983, at the Veterans Administration Hospital, Togus, following a long illness.

Born in Oxford, Mass., April 4, 1905 he was the son of Joseph L. and Edith Poirier Patenaude. He was a veteran of World War II and had worked for many years on the Mt. Washington Road, retiring 15 years ago.

Survivors include his widow, Yvonne, of Gilead; a son, Capt. Joseph Patenaude, New Jersey; a daughter, Lorette R. Athearn, Portland; a sister, Mrs. Georgiana Plerine of Massachusetts, and three grandchildren.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held Saturday at 10:30 a. m. at Our Lady of the Snows Church, Bethel. Visiting hours are Friday evening from 7 to 9 at the Greenleaf Funeral Home. Interment at a later date will be at the Maine Veterans Memorial Cemetery, Augusta.

HERBERT I. HOWARD

Herbert I. (Bud) Howard of Mexico, died Wednesday, Feb. 16, 1983 at the Rumford Community Hospital, where he had been an outpatient.

He had lived in the area most of his life. He was born in Mexico, May 23, 1925, the son of Clarence and Annie Wood Howard. He served in the Army in World War II.

Mr. Howard married Dorothy Chase at Cape Elizabeth April 13, 1974. He attended Mexico schools and had worked in the repair department of the Boise Cascade Co., in Rumford for more than 39 years. He was a member of the Mexico First Baptist Church, the Boise Cascade 25 Year Club, Napoleon Ouellette Post American Legion and the Robert Shand Post VFW. He was a captain of the Oxford Civil Air Patrol Auxiliary of the U. S. Air Force; and was presently serving as secretary and treasurer and as a member of the Mexico Fire Department. Mr. Howard also was a member of the Mexico Fireman's Relief Association, the Maine State Federation of Firefighters Inc., and the Western Maine Firemen's Association.

Survivors include his wife of Mexico; a step son, Douglas White of Augusta; a sister, Mrs. Olive Whitten of Andover; and one step-granddaughter.

Funeral services were held Saturday morning at the Meander and Son funeral home with Rev. G. Alden Taylor officiating. Entombment was at the Sunnyside Receiving Vault, Rumford. Interment will be in the spring at Woodlawn Cemetery, Dixfield.

SUGARLOAF WINS 1st ANNUAL SKI MAINE CHALLENGE

The five person ski-racing team representing Sugarloaf USA won the first annual Ski Maine Association Ski Challenge held Tuesday night, Feb. 15 at Lost Valley Ski Area in Auburn. The second place honors went to Sunday River in Bethel and third to the Lost Valley team. Teams from Pleasant Mountain, Mount Abram and Engreen Valley also participated.

The fastest time of the night was posted by Lost Valley skier Scott Cushing, and the slowest by Gretchen Wight of Sunday River. All skiers were employees of the ski areas representing ski school, marketing, food services, ski shop and operations departments from each resort.

The Ski Maine Association is the trade organization of ten ski area operators within the state. The Association produces radio ski reports and advertises the state's ski industry through all types of media in the United States and Canada.

DIED

In Rumford, Feb. 16, Herbert I. (Bud) Howard of Mexico, aged 57 years.

In Togus, Feb. 22, Homer J. Patenaude of Gilead, aged 77 years.



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two to one margin a motion "to apply for and accept private, state and federal funds for use in developing an Airport Master Plan for Col. Dyke Field." Shortly afterwards, the firm of Hunter-Ballou Associates was selected by the bid process to do the Airport Master Plan study.

Recognizing that the study could not be completed by the July 30, 1978, land option closing date, the Town entered into an agreement with the Rosenfield Land Company, successor in title to the Bethel Airport Corporation for the option land, to extend the closing date on the option to 12 P. M., July 28, 1983. Richard Davis, who purchased the property containing the optioned 37 acre strip from Rosenfield Land Company in late 1978, has stated that any requests to extend the current closing date will be turned down.

In November 1982, the "Airport Master Plan" was completed by Hunter-Ballou Associates. The purpose of the study was to assess effects of the airport facility on the environment, determine future airport requirements and prepare supporting engineering and financing strategies and data was gathered accordingly. The Airport Master Plan, after reviewing other alternatives, recommended expanding Col. Dyke Field to a Basic Utility-Stage II airport with expanded facilities characterized by a new 3,150 foot runway, taxiway, navigational aids, aircraft hanger, tie down and parking areas, terminal and administration areas, fueling area and automobile area. Accomplishment of these improvements would be structured over a 20 year period.

At the Dec. 27 Board meeting, the Airport Advisory Committee recommended that the Selectmen and the Town accept the "Airport Master Plan" conclusions and strategies, conclude the land option, and sell Town-owned lots, mentioned in the "Plan" as potential commercial or industrial sites, to raise the Town's share of airport development. During that meeting, the Selectmen directed the Manager to conduct a survey among regional businesses and institutions regarding their needs for an improved Bethel airport. This study, completed by the Town Office staff in January 1983, concluded:

"... an enlarged airport facility would be of benefit to existing businesses and therefore to the Town. However, for such expansion to benefit the Town... outside industry and new business will have to be introduced to the area, according to regional business and institutional spokesmen. Unless a commercial/industrial complex (at the airport) can be used, neither new industry nor an enlarged airport seem feasible."

Pursuant to the events above, the airport warrant article was drafted in February with detailed assistance from Maine Municipal Association legal staff, extensive effort given to working clarity, accuracy and completeness. Readers should note three items:

1. Since an industrial/commercial complex was only mentioned in the "Airport Master Plan", all reference to it was deleted from the article. The Selectmen will address this issue in the future.

2. Necessary pre-conditions were established in the article to preclude the expenditure of any property tax revenues to accomplish airport development. This means that federal and state funds must be committed to the project, and that entire Town's share raised by the methods described in the article before any land is cleared and development may start.

Since the terms of the deeds, option and agreement do not spe-



OWNERSHIP SUCCESSION TO BE TOPIC OF MARCH 3 MEETING OF S.W.O.A.M.

Ownership Succession will be the subject of the next meeting of the Western Maine Chapter of the Small Woodland Owners Association of Maine. Most woodlot owners would like to have their properties succeed to family members and not sold to pay inheritance taxes. Some want to determine before their deaths how woodlots are to be divided among family members. In any case they all hope that their woodlots will not be tied up in probate for long periods of time, and S.W.O.A.M. members and friends want to insure the succession of their properties to those who will continue conscientious management practices.

A panel of two speakers will address the subject on March 3 at 7 p. m. at the Oxford Hills High School in South Paris. Ray McDonald, Trust Officer for the Casco Bank and a Registered Forester along with Richard Baker, Certified Public Accountant with Macdonald Page & Co. and a specialist in woodlands management taxation and accounting will address the meeting. The two authorities will discuss the legal, financial and tax aspects of the problem and review various options available to woodland owners. The public is invited.

city what the optioned land must be used for, motion b. of the article, if passed, would make it binding that the 37 acre strip must be used for airport development purposes, combining the letter and spirit of the law.

Copies of the Bethel "Airport Master Plan" are available in the Public Library and may be checked out by interested citizens for up to seven days. Similar arrangements may be made at the Town Office where copies may be checked out during normal working hours. Also, Airport Advisory Committee members, John Head, Jim and Pat Hudson, Mary Valentine, Jack Cross, and Dick Davis will answer your questions as they arise.

The Board of Selectmen will hold their next regular meeting at 7 p. m. on Monday, Feb. 28, in the Bethel Town Office meeting room.

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"BARN BURNING" NEXT IN FILM SERIES

"Barn Burning" a film based on the short story by William Faulkner will be the second in a series entitled "The American Short Story" held at the Moses Mason Museum Wednesday evenings, beginning at 7:30 on March 2. Sponsored by the Bethel Historical Society with the support of the Maine Humanities Council and the National Endowment for the Humanities through the cooperation of the Film Services Division of the Maine State Library, the series is free and open to anyone interested. "Barn Burning" deals with Abner Snopes, a poor white tenant farmer in the South about 1890. A violent, vengeful man, he resorts to barn burning when things go badly for him. His son Sarty must choose the best means to stop him in this pursuit.

DANCE FOR HEART HUGE SUCCESS

I wish to thank the following people for their help in making our Dance for Heart Marathon such a huge success: the aerobic contestants—one and all; Telstar for the use of the gymnasium; the Ambulance Service; the Shriners; C.A.D.E.T.'S.

The following businesses who donated prizes, luncheons and dinners: Edelweiss, Prim's, I.G.A., R.F.D. #1, Fashion Basket, Foot Path, Brown's Variety, Brooks Bros., Adult Ed., Children's Dance Theater, Charlie's Place, Mother's, Only Place, McKee's, Sunday River Ski Touring, Bethel Inn, Groan & McGinn, Boiler Room.

Special helpers: Mike Cohen, Ginny Walker, Cathy Newell, Linda Westleigh, Middle School, Betty Shimamura, Alice Johnson, Merton Brown, Cathy Bennett.

Thanks to the many people who pledged making the total over \$2,000. (Final count not in yet.) The top five super salesmen are: Linda Westleigh, \$358; Mary Keniston, \$209.60; Sharon Littlefield, \$185.60; Freda Davis, \$115; Sandra Cohen, \$103; and many more close to the top—winning Dance for Heart wallet, tote bag, carry-all and wardrobes.

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Locke Mills

— Mrs. John Mills, Corres. —
Reminder: The Cub Scout Blue and Gold Banquet will be held at 6 p. m. Monday, Feb. 28, at the Legion Hall. Cub Scouts and their families are invited to attend.

Friday, March 4, World Day of Prayer will be observed at the Union Church beginning at 2 p. m. The Ladies Circle will furnish refreshments.

Phyllis Coolidge, Nancy Cross and Rev. Michael Caldwell will be accompanying over 20 young people to Rockcraft Lodge Retreat Thursday and Friday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rowe and Mrs. Margery Swan and Todd were in Norway shopping Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills stayed with Heidi and John Beverage, Bethel, and they all went to Berlin, N. H., Saturday to get Mrs. Sandra Taylor, Beth and Michael, who spent Saturday night with Jim and Mary Cobb. Stephanie Taylor stayed in Berlin with her grandparents as she had an ear infection.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Humphrey (Sandra Lurvey), Danesne, Michael Scott and Richard, Porter, visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lurvey Sunday. Stacy Swan visited her grandmother, Mrs. Margery Swan, one day recently while her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Swan, were out of town.

Greenwood Fire Department Auxiliary met Tuesday evening at the Fire House with nine members present. A letter was read from the West Paris Auxiliary inviting Greenwood Auxiliary to a supper on March 7 at 6 p. m. at the West Paris Fire House. A thank you note was received from Malinda Seames for the baby gift. The rest of the evening was devoted to planning the Town Meeting dinner. Members will be soliciting for food in the near future.

Dr. Michael LaCombe, member of the Oxford Hills Internal Medicine Group and Stephens Memorial Hospital Medical Staff, will explain why special diets are prescribed as an important part of the medical treatment of specific diseases.

Anne-Marie Davee, Stephens Memorial Hospital dietician, will describe the three most commonly prescribed special diets—diabetic, low sodium and low fat—and offer suggestions for following these diets.

Stephanie Knight, Stephens Memorial Hospital Health Educator, will discuss meal planning, and buying and cooking tips as related to these diets.

Displays of cookbooks and other available resources will be set up for participant viewing.

This program will be an introduction to three morning workshops scheduled for March 8, 15 and 22, which will offer a more in depth look at each of the diets.

March 8 the Diabetic Diet will be discussed. Enrollees will be taught how to use an exchange list, plan menus, and adapt recipes. Samples of selected recipes for the Diabetic will be available for tasting.

March 15 the Low Fat Diet will be considered with special em-

phasis on the various kinds of fats (including cholesterol) and meal planning.

March 22 cooking for a Low Sodium (Salt) Diet will be the focus. A new film by the American Dietetic Association, Salt & Hypertension, will be viewed, and low salt foods from selected recipes will be sampled.

All three morning sessions will be held in the Health Education Department at the Hospital from 9:30 to 11:30 a. m. A fee to cover the cost of supplies will be charged for each workshop, but there will not be any fee for the introductory session March 3. Pre-registration is encouraged for all four sessions. Tel. 743-5933, Ext. 489.

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BETHEL SENIOR CITIZENS MEETING AT SUDBURY WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9

Bethel Senior Citizens will have their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday, March 9, beginning at 11 a. m. at the Sudbury Inn. The birthday of Von Zinti. Members are invited to bring their money to Maude Danforth. Guest will be Bethel's Town Manager, William Judson. His subject will be Perceptions and Communications.

TELSTAR JAZZ BAND "ON THE ROAD AGAIN"

The Telstar Jazz Band will be on the road Saturday, March 19, playing in the Maine State Open Festival at Deering High in Portland. Performance 10:30 a. m.

On Thursday, March 3, the Telstar Jazz Band will be at Westbrook School for the District 1 competition, the first step to the competition on March 26 in Rockport. Members are invited to support your local band.

DONKEY BASKETBALL AT TELSTAR WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9

On Wednesday, March 9, there will be a Donkey Basketball game at the Telstar. Come watch the most hilarious show you've ever seen. Tickets on sale in the Telstar Room, High School Office, Sonny's, and Prim's. Come have the time of your life. Guaranteed to make you laugh.

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